# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# WATER RESOURCES
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1176
ANSWERED ON:22.07.2002
LAND UNDER IRRIGATION
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**Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government have fixed any target to bring more area of land under irrigation in the country during the Tenth Five Year Plan period;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the target fixed and achieved in this regard during the Ninth Plan;

(d) the allocation made to each State for the purpose during Ninth Plan and proposed for Tenth Plan, State-wise; and

(e) the actual amount utilized during Ninth Plan and the additional area of land brought under irrigation?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SMT. BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) & (b) Working Groups set up by the Planning Commission for the Tenth Five Year Plan in respect of Major & Medium Irrigation Programme and Minor Irrigation Programme have recommended targets for creation of additional irrigation potential of 11.14 million hectare by means of Major & Medium irrigation projects and 8.00 million hectare by means of minor irrigation projects.

(c) The targets and achievements in respect of creation of additional irrigation potential during the Ninth Plan are as under:

| Source of Irrigation | Creation of Irrigation Potential in Million hectare | |
|---|---|---|
| | Targets for IX Plan | Anticipated Achievement during IX Plan |
| Major & Medium Irrigation Projects | 9.81 | 4.14 |
| Minor Irrigation Projects | 7.24 | 6.06 |
| Total | 17.05 | 10.20 |

(d) & (e) State-wise details of allocations made in the Irrigation sector during the Ninth Plan, corresponding anticipated expenditure, additional area (provisional) brought under irrigation during the Ninth Plan and Tenth Plan outlay projected as required by the Working Groups on Major & Medium and Minor Irrigation programmes are furnished in the table at Annexure-I

Annexure-I

TABLE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (d) & (e) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1176 TO BE ANSWERED IN L SABHA ON 22.7.02

STATE-WISE DETAILS OF ALLOCATIONS, EXPENDITURE, IRRIGATION DEVELOPMENT DURING IX PLAN AND RECOMMENDED ALLOCATIONS OF TENTH PLAN

| Sl. No | Name of States | IX Plan allocations to Irrigation Sector (Rs. Crore) | Anticipated Expenditure during IX Plan | Additional Irrigation Potential for X Plan (Rs. Crore) | Projected allocations |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|

(Rs.Crore) 1997-2000
(provisional)
(in`000 ha)

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Andhra Pradesh | 5802.89 | 5223.39 | 466.39 | 21569.08 |
| 2 | Arunachal Pr. | 204.78 | 0.00 | 6.61 | 340.00 |
| 3 | Assam | 565.11 | 155.35 | 9.24 | 2160.02 |
| 4 | Bihar+Jharkhand | 2175.00 | 2221.21 | 122.15 | 6182.58 |
| 5 | Goa | 264.33 | 250.07 | 2.52 | 412.69 |
| 6 | Gujarat | 8321.55 | 12086.48 | 80.12 | 19007.58 |
| 7 | Haryana | 1544.56 | 406.31 | 37.21 | 2971.86 |
| 8 | Himachal Pr. | 231.55 | 263.74 | 6.63 | 1116.18 |
| 9 | Jammu & Kashmir | 339.00 | 72.72 | 13.99 | 1435.76 |
| 10 | Karnataka | 6000.00 | 8858.98 | 190.41 | 10525.15 |
| 11 | Kerala | 900.00 | 696.22 | 125.45 | 2327.00 |
| 12 | Madhya Pradesh+Chattis garh | 2698.66 | 2318.05 | 86.70 | 11141.80 |
| 13 | Maharashtra | 10537.64 | 10621.33 | 614.30 | 16707.81 |
| 14 | Manipur | 266.00 | 234.32 | 22.20 | 773.75 |
| 15 | Meghalaya | 75.00 | 9.49 | 5.73 | 235.10 |
| 16 | Mizoram | 17.92 | 0.10 | 1.26 | 90.00 |
| 17 | Nagaland | 50.13 | 11.36 | 5.00 | 240.00 |
| 18 | Orissa | 3352.08 | 2123.73 | 363.21 | 9081.43 |
| 19 | Punjab | 491.07 | 655.75 | 81.13 | 3231.82 |
| 20 | Rajasthan | 2051.84 | 1779.89 | 192.56 | 5942.24 |
| 21 | Sikkim | 10.00 | 0.00 | 2.18 | 151.00 |
| 22 | Tamil Nadu | 1357.65 | 1048.88 | 8.31 | 2235.93 |
| 23 | Tripura | 165.91 | 34.97 | 11.65 | 574.37 |
| 24 | Uttar Pradesh+Uttaranchal | 3090.12 | 4048.12 | 1050.91 | 12997.78 |
| 25 | West Bengal | 1058.80 | 486.85 | 433.44 | 3590.50 |
| Total STATES | | 51571.59 | 53607.31 | 3939.30 | 135041.43 |
| Total UTs | | 51.62 | 51.57 | 3.80 | 509.57 |
| GRAND TOTAL | | 51623.21 | 53658.88 | 3943.10 | 135551.00 |